



# Lanivet School Newsletter



## Weekly Awards



Teacher Focus	Mega Mathematician Magician	Wonderful Writer	Remarkable Reader
Freddie E Jake H-E Mason H Oilver R Rory D Honey A	Emily M Bethany H Ozzy S Aggie D Jake M Martin K Rufus H Harry M	Scarlett R Dani R-R Finn W George S Jay K	Eddie K Eva H Emily F Coby M Isla S Deana O

## Our week at Lanivet...

**Dolphin Class** has been all about growing and learning about the life cycle of a seed this week. They have all planted a sunflower seed and written instructions on how to plant a seed. Some children choose to draw diagrams to show the life cycle of a seed after reading the story 'The Tiny Seed' by Eric Carle. In Maths, they have been learning how to count beyond twenty and in different ways including twos and tens. They have also begun learning how to share a number into two equal groups to find half. The new den has been transformed by the children throughout the week into shops, homes and superhero hideouts. **Fox Class** started work in their new phonics groups after all the children were assessed last week. In Maths, they have been learning place value 11-20 using subtraction. In English, they have been learning more about the story, The Gingerbread Man, and the children came up with lots of amazing actions to help tell the story. Forest school was a success again, the children got to play in the river and make their own cafe! This week they have also focused on being kind to one another and using kind words, through their compliment circle. Foxes have had a very busy week and have really impressed us with their spelling practice! **Duck Class** have had yet another fabulous week! This week they have got their teeth stuck into their new story for English, by exploring the features of a 'conquering fear' tale. They have enjoyed learning about Kenya in Geography, and have drawn maps of Africa, drawn the flag of Kenya and started creating a brochure all about Kenya. They have enjoyed P.E with Plymouth Argyle, and our class REAL P.E. They finished the week off with fish and chips in the park as special treat! **Otter Class** have been learning about deforestation, the impact it has on the world and what we can do to protect the planet and the rainforests. The children have worked incredibly hard with their termly maths and reading assessments this week, showing great perseverance. They also reached a milestone of 2,000 dojo points resulting in them having a fun on the green this afternoon. **Puffin Class** have had another amazing week. The children have excelled themselves with their Maths assessments and have been learning how to use compound and complex sentences in English. In History, they made timelines for the Victorian times and in Science, they have begun learning about circuits. **Dragonflies** have continued learning about Ancient Greece, with a focus on daily life and the kinds of toys children would've played with. In Science, they built sailing boats, and we'll be testing them out next week. In Art, they continued to look at the work of Banksy and Hokusai. **Hedgehogs Class** have had a busy week. They have been thinking about vocabulary to describe war and have linked this to their senses, before writing an atmospheric setting description. They have also defined key vocabulary for their Science topic, light. In Music, they have been considering the structural and musical features of



Western music. They have started to compose their own musical scores. In RE lessons they have been learning about temptation, thinking about Jesus in the wilderness and what temptations they face themselves.

## Menu Change

We have a menu change for Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> May.

The kitchen will be serving cheese & tomato pizza as the main dish with veggie burrito as the vegetarian choice. Jacket potatoes and pasta will also be available.



## Reminder - Sunflower Fundraiser

Our wonderful PTA are running a Sunflower Fundraiser this term.



They are asking pupils to grow a sunflower at home, the tallest sunflower at the end of term will win a fabulous Summer prize. Entering the competition costs £2, the seeds will be available from class teachers **until Wednesday** next week.

Fundraising has been difficult this year so please support the PTA if you can!

## Bank Holiday

Don't forget that Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May is a Bank Holiday and school will be closed for the day.

Enjoy your weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday.



## Wadebridge & Bodmin Foodbank



Please note, the Foodbanks in Bodmin and Wadebridge will be closed on Bank Holiday Monday (3<sup>rd</sup> May).

For more information, please visit their website – <https://www.wadebridgefoodbank.org/>

## All Stars & Dynamos Cricket

All Stars Cricket is for boys and girls from 5-8 years old. The activity and game based programme is suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity and cricket, while making friends in a safe and enjoyable environment. You can find out more on their website [here](#). For older children there is Dynamos Cricket, for boys and girls from 8-11 years old with 6+ sessions of non-stop fun. Each week there will be a focus on a different cricket skill to build their confidence and ability, before they take part in a 60-ball countdown cricket match. You can find out more about Dynamos [here](#).



Diary Dates	
Monday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> May, 2021	May Bank Holiday
W/c 4 <sup>th</sup> May, 2021	Teacher/parent meetings, telephone consultations
Friday, 28 <sup>th</sup> May, 2021	Break up for half term, no After School Care Club
Monday, 31 <sup>st</sup> May, 2021	Spring Bank Holiday
Monday, 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	Start of second half of Summer Term
Friday, 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	INSET Day, school closed to pupils
Thursday, 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2021	Stomp & Chomp, further information to follow
Wednesday, 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	French Day, further information to follow
Friday, 9 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	INSET Day, school closed to pupils
Friday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2021	Break up for Summer Holidays, early dismissal, times to be confirmed